

## LIAISONS DANGEREUSES

This is LIAISONS DANGEREUSES #31, published by Canard Press on April 27, 1972. LD # 31 will incorporate NEOPHYTE for this issue because the Gamemaster, Lenard Lakofka is moving to 4970 N. Marine Dr. apt 525, Chicago, Ill 60640 (no phone till May 3, '72). For that reason all deadlines will be a little longer than normal and will remain extended over the summer months because I have a very active convention schedule to handle. Canard Press is affiliated with the Postal Diplomacy Congress and the "new Org". "new org" membership is available from me for 75¢ or directly to Larry Perry, 816 24th, San Diego Cal for \$1. (I make up the extra 25¢ for all who join through Canard press IF that person is playing in a NEOPHYTE game.

LD 31 includes bronto 1 and 2, LD 8 & 9 (reprints), LD 12 & 15, NEO 1,2,3,4, & 7 reprints of 5 & 6 and opens NEO 8. Also OWWII 1972.5h.

Please note that moves sent to 1806 N. Richmond will reach me but they may well be 3-7 days late. I plan to be at my parents home from 1-3 times per week. Above all do not call my parents. They have been instructed NOT to accept moves over the phone.

Lastly my new Phone # will be available from Directory Assistance by May 10 I'm sure. I will have a room mate for 3-5 nights a week because of a job in Chicago and his parent's home way out in a Chicago suburb. He does not play Diplomacy so moves given to him are at your own risk.

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Addition to houserules;

III C will be amended to; "When the deadline has passed, and no moves WHATSOEVER are received from a novice (playing his FIRST game IN NEOPHYTE, during any season in 1901 or 1902 only) the following procedure will be used. Sealed orders, if on file, will be used at once. If there are no sealed orders the GM will allow one days grace for orders postmarked PRIOR to the deadline. Telegrams, phone calls, or any material dated on or after the deadline will not be accepted. The one days grace period will apply only if no orders or SO are already received. A move change, therefore, will never be accepted.

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Last month's pole (additions will be made if more ballots arrive before May 15, 1972). Grading system was on a system awarding the following points for each position (rank) of an entry. 1-15 pts, 2-13pts, 3-11, 4-9, 5-8, 6-7, 7-6, 8-5, 9-4, 10-3, 11-2, 12-1 point. All ranks above 12 were not considered. 17 ballots were received.

Best zines in which the players were playing (or had played).

Title	# of votes	points	average	play again	not play again
XENOLOGIC	3	43	14.32	3	
GRAUSTARK	5	63	12.6	3	1
COSTAGUANA	4	48	12.0	4	
PLATAPUS PIE	3	35	11.67	2	
ATLANTIS	5	51	10.4	4	1
SMUT*	4	39	9.75	3	
LD /NEOPHYTE	10	97	9.70	6	2
SHAAFT	3	26	8.67	1	1
notable					
ZOTHIQUE	1	15		1	
ADAG	2	21	10.5	2	
EREHWON	2	30	15.0	2	

Many others were mentioned but a larger cross section would be needed. continue page 3

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Mail all moves to Lenard Lakofka, 4970 N. Marine D Dr. Apt 525 Chicago 60640!

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## MUSINGS

by

Larry Blandin

Commencing a sporadic column of insights and comments.

Being far too busy (or read lazy) to publish my own 'zine, there are nonetheless a few occasions when it would seem of value to be able to venture some thoughts on the current scene. Len Lakofka has generously opened his pages to me to further (read irritate) popular opinion. Unfortunately, he has also lent me his typewriter, also, and as a result your correspondent is further burdened by his largess. But I digress.

The prime impetus for this column is to review with favor and disfavor, some of the new developments, and variations in old developments of the general gaming hobbies.

Alright students, pencils, and pads handy? That brings us to the first topic of today's lecture. ORIGINS OF WORLD WAR II! As most of you ought to know by now, Avalon-Hill has brought out a new game to rival and compete on at least some levels with our revered Diplomacy. What some of you may not know is that it is quickly being picked up by the play by mail circuit (PBM) and is promising to show a great deal of vigor. What is more important is that the best Diplomacy publisher is beginning to bring out an OWWII 'zine with the same high quality that he puts into his other well established publication.

FREEDONIA, published by Dr. John Boardman of GRAUSTARK fame (and well deserved for it is the flagship of Diplomacy 'zines) is being produced with the promise of the same high quality as Graustark. He is using the Birsan numbers to chart the history of the games, while finding time to load the publication with comment, sometimes topical, sometimes historical, but always worth reading. The zine is so attractive that I can venture to say that even if you don't know the game (which is a mistake), but enjoy reading, you'll dig Freedonia. Write for a copy c/o Dr. John Boardman, 234 E. 19th St. Brooklyn, N.Y. 11226.

Considerable inquiry has been made about why the upcoming Diplomacy Convention has undergone a slight modification in title. The predecessors (Dip-cons I-IV) had successfully managed with the Pop-Op title, why is Chicago doing things differently?

Sever factors have been considered. Among them is the public relations element. DIPLOMACY is going public in 1972 and will getting a considerable amount of media coverage. The term Dip-Con has been expanded slightly so that the public will begin to understand that our convention is a gathering of DIPLOs and not a cabal of merchants with new ideas for covering crackers and chips. Finally, a latinist might suggest that the more appropriate (and intelligible) division is the one we have chosen.

I throw out a question for response that I have ventured to a couple of PBM allies. Why is it that one can not stab a friend who is also an ally (or should it be reversed?) and keep him as a friend? SEND YOUR COMMENTS ON THIS TO ME c/o THE ADDRESS AT THE TOP OF THE PAGE AND WE'LL OPEN THE MAIL BAG NEXT ISSUE.

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Poll, continued from page 1

Best magazines seen by players (thus they could add zines in which they have not played).

TITLE	# of votes	points	average
EREHWON	6	74	12.30
HOOSIER ARCHIVES	6	68	11.32
COSTAGUANA	7	76	10.87
GRAUSTARK	7	73	10.42
XENOGOGIC	4	39	9.77

also ran, 3 votes OR a first or second place vote(s).

JUSTRZAP	1	15	15
IMPASSABLE	2	28	14
ARENA	3	31	10.33
STAB	1	13	13
ATLANTIS	3	26	8.67
LD/NEOPHYTE	3	22	7.33
SMUT*	3	21	7.00

Players of note (rated only if the rater had played a game(s) with that player). These were far too wide spread on too few votes.

Players getting a first or second or 3rd vote were:

Lamb (2), Devereaux(1), Lakofka (1,3), Birsan (2), Smythe (1,1), Koning (1), Keathley (1,3), Phillips (2,3), Walker (1), Tretick (1,3), Lowrance(1), Proszitz(2), VerPloeg(3), Childs(1), Blandin(2), Ward(2), and Barrows(2).

If more votes arrive I will update. You have until the next LD comes out, about May 31, 1972. The questions were (you may send in a facsimile, if you wish) Rate (by placing in order) the zines in which you are playing (or have played) and which zines you would and would not play in a gain. List the best zines you have seen, whether as a player, subber, trader, etc. and list the 14 best players with whom you have played.

A final question asked which zines have mechanical errors in them. These zines will be told by separate correspondence of faults players found. It should be noted that the top four zines listed above had almost NO faults at all! The rest of us, sob, all had a number of errors, typos (er typos) being the worst offender, followed clowsily by spelling errors!

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Bronto 1, 1969 BX spring 1910

Arms laid down as Ver Ploeg conseeds to Schleicher. Schleicher did file moves (he misunderstood my prior announcement) and did build three armies giving him the win with Ver ploeg second.

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bronto 2, 1970 B the spring of 1909

Austria, VerPloeg(17)

A VIE-gal WITH A BUD, a mar-BURG, A BRE-pic, WITH A PAR, F POR-spa sc, a gal-SIL WITH A BOH & ~~WYX~~ a mun/D ruhr or A/, A TYO (S) a mun, F WES-tyrr, F ION-tyrr, A SER (S) A RUM, F AEG (S) A CON, A RUM (S) A VIE-gal, A CON (S) TUR a smy-ANK, A BUL(S) A RUM --Russia, Bytwerk (15)

F ECH (S) A LON-pic WITH A BEL, F MAO-span, F NTH U, a arm-SMY, f ank ~~N~~ /D arm or A/, F BLA (S) A SEV-rum, A UKR (S) A WAR-gal, a burg-MUN WITH A BER & A KIEL & ~~WYX~~ a sil/D prura/, F ~~nwy~~hsp Turkey, Pulsipher(2) f tun-NAF, a smy-ANK

The deadline for the Fall of 1909 is May 31, 1972 to 4970 N. Marine Dr., apt 525, Chicago 60640

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LIAISONS DANGEREUSES #8 the spring of 1909 (reprint)

England Gyga (10)

f lon-ECR, f ech-MAO, a gas-MAR, F LYON & F TUN (S) f wes- TYR,  
A TUS (S) f tyr-ROM, F NAF H, f mao-WES

Germany, Pulsipher (13)

A MUN-sil, a burg-PAR, A VEN(S) ENG f tyr-ROM, aTYO(S)AVIE-tri,  
A GAL-vie, A SIL-gal, A BOH (S) A GAL-vie, A SEV (S) RUS A BUD-rum  
(nso), A UKR & A MOS (S) A VEV, F SWE U, F KIEL H, f nwy h (nsp)

Italy, Borecki (w2) F NAP (S) a rom, a rom S F NAP/D apu or A/

Russia, Schleicher (2) A TRI (S) A BUD, A BUB (S) A TRI

Turkey, Katzive (7)

F BLA & A ARM (S) A RUM-sev, F ALB U, A SER (S) RUS A BUD, A BUL-  
rum, F ION-tyr, f tri S Rus ATRI does not follow, nsp

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LIAISONS DANGEREUSES #9 the fall of 1906 reprint BUT NOTE GME!!

----- DEADLINE EXTENSION ----- To May 17, 1972

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Austria Nyderek (7) owns; home, ~~gre~~, ser, ~~gre~~, ~~gre~~, BUL 5= 7-2

F ALB-gre, A SER(S) f gre-BUL, a ven/R/TRI, A TIR(S) ATUS-ven,  
a boh-VIE, A BUD-gal

Germany, ~~Jay/lee~~, Hal Norman now player of record

owns ber, kiel, hol, ~~den~~, liv, edin

f den N D helgo, bal or A/, a liv-WAL, f nwy-EDIN, F NTH-hol,

A KIEL (S) A BER-mun

Italy, Gyga owns MUN 1 =1 even, a ven N D apu or A/

France Lowry owns; home, spa, port, ~~den~~, nap, lon, bel, VEN, ROM

10=9+1

f ech-MAO, A BURG-mun WITH A RUHR, a pied-VEN WITH A ROM & ATYO  
A BEL-hol, f lon-YORK, F ION-tun

Russia, Schleicher (7) owns home, rum, swe, nwy, DEN 8+7+1

a war-SIL, A GAL(S) F RUM H, f con-AEG- a swe-DEN WITH F SKAG,  
F Nwy (S) F SKAG

Turkey, Blandin (4) owns home, GRE ~~den~~, TUN may build 2, 1 A

F TUN H, f aeg-GRE WITH a bul/D+A/, a smy-CON

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LIAISONS DANGEREUSES # 12, the fall of 1907

England, CD F NTH FRANCE AND ITALY R TO LYON AND ANNHILATE E.O.

Germany, Tretick (3) a pied-mar/D+A/, a mun-ruhr/D sil or A/, A KIEL-  
den, a mar h (nsp)

France, Baker (7) F ECH-mao, F PORT S A SPA H, f cly-LIV, a burg-  
MUN WITH A RUHR,

Italy, Maffeo (11) NMR, SOU ((AGAIN!))

F WES-mao, MAR (S) a ven-PIED, F ION (S) ftyr-TUN,  
a ser-BUD, a bud-GAL, a tri-TYO, f rom-TUS, a vie-BOH

Russia, Grossbaum (6 (1 short)) A UKR (S) A SEV (S) TUR F BAL-rum  
(sno), a war-PRU, A MOS (S) A SEV, F SWE-den, a sil-BER

Turkey, Knudsen (5) A RUM H, f buls-GRE, A ARM-sev, F CON H, F BLA  
(S) A RUM

-----supply center chart-----  
eng; ~~den~~ 0 = 1 -1

fra; bre, par, por, bel, hol, lon, edin, LIV, MUN, SPA 10= 6+4

ger; ~~den~~, kiel, ~~den~~ 1 = 2 -1

ita; home, tun, tri, vie, ~~den~~, ser, bud, mar, ~~den~~ 9 = 10-1

rus; home, swe, den, nwy, BER 8 = 6 + 2

tur; home, bul, gre, RUM 6=5+1 34=32+a net of 2

(France can only build 2) Dramatic change in centers seen!

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LIAISONS DANGEREUSES #15, 1971 EK the spring of 1902

GERMANY ATTACKS IN ALL DIRECTIONS, TOO BAD HE  
CAN'T CONVOY TO SMYRNA. SULTAN LOST IN HAREM?

Austria, Katzive /4/ A TRI(S) a bud-VIE, FGRE H, A SER-bud  
England, Brackman/4/ ,F LON-nth, F NTH-hol, A NWY(§)FBAR\_stpn  
France, converse/6/ 3107 Annandale, Falls Church, Vir. 22042

f bre-ACH, a par-PIC, A MAR, A BEL, + A SPA H, f por-MAO  
Germany, Blandin/6/ f kiel-BAL, a ber-SIL, a mun-TYO, F SWE-nwy, A DEN-  
swe, A HOL H

Italy, vonmessy, oops, Von Metzke /4/  
F TUN(S) f nap-ION, A ROM offers austria an alliance/trans  
H/, A VEN (S) Lakofka from mrd/trans H/ ((what good does it do?  
The election was rushed down our throats before we even knew  
what was happening))

Russia, Hall/5/ F SEV-rum, A MOS (S) f both-STPS, A GAL-bud,  
a vie (§) A GAL-bud /D boh or A/ (support cut by dislodgement)

Turkey, Cleaver /5/ NHR, NSO F CON, A ANK, F BLA, A RUM, A BUL ALL HOLD  
Steve Brooks please make moves for Cleaver in case he misses.  
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LIAISONS DANGEREUSES # 16 is still open. paid, tretick and brooks  
interest Cooper. Game fee still 4 will go up on June 1. to 5

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#### NOTICE TO ALL NEOPHYTE PLAYERS!!

NEOPHYTE GAMES will take on names for each individual game. The use  
of NEO 1, 2, 3, etc. and the NEO magazine numbers are producing some  
confusion. So, with this set of orders, please suggest a name(s) of  
from 1 to 3 words, for the game(s) in which you are playing. A vote  
will be taken among the players for the name they select. And please  
fellas, no X rated titles, this zine goes to women and children!!.

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NEOPHYTE 1 1971 AT see above, please gave me a name for this game.  
the spring of 1904

KELEMAN disappears again, sigh! Germany continues to move,  
but opposition is beginning, I think.

Austria, Bell /5/ A GAL H, a bud-SER, a ser-BULWITH F GRE, a vie-BUD  
England, Pandin/3/ F LIVER H, F LON H, a wa-YORK

France, Horton/5/ A GAS, A SPA H, F ECH S( F NWY-nth, F MAO-nth WITH  
F IRI

Germany, Carpenter/9/ a mun-KIEL, a kiel-DEN, F NWY-nth, F SWE-nwy,  
a boh-MUN, f edin-CLY, a BEL, A PRU-war WITH A SIL

Italy, Keleman/4/NHR NSO Leo Early please submit moves for Italy  
F EMD, F AEG, A VEN, A TUS

Russia, Silverman /4/ A WAR H WITH A UKR, f lio-BOTH, A RUM(S) AUST  
a ser-BUL

Turkey, Wrobel/4/ F ELAC a bul-SEV, A SMY H, F CON-aeg  
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Topkapi Sarayi, High Turkish Officials /in more way than one/ have  
recently completed plans for envoys of the the German Government for  
the renovation and renewal of the Berlin-Bagdad Railroad. It is ex-  
pected work will begin as soon as the bells stop ringing in Vienna and  
Budapest. The ding-donging is detrimental to blasting in Serbia.  
London; March 28, 1904, The German ambassador to England was recent-  
ly the victim of an accident in the tower. His mortal remains have  
been sent back to Berlin in a thimble!

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Neophyte #2 (gentlemen, name your game, see page 5) 1971 BX sp. '04

JOHN, LET ME TELL YOU ABOUT A GAME WHERE I'M RUSSIA AND  
HAL'S TURKEY.... Russia SUFFERS REVERSES ENGLAND STAVES  
OFF ATTACKS, ITALY LOST AGAIN!

England, Davies /4/

F DEN-swe, F NTH-nwy, F NAO-mao, F WAL-ech

France, stroz/5/NMR, SOU

a galkony-MAR WITH A SPA, F BRE-mao, F ECH (S) GER F LON, ABEL H  
Germany, Leeder/4/

a mun-BER WITH F KIEL, F LON H, ~~XXXXX~~ A TYO-mun

Italy, Perry/4, 1 short/ nmr, dropped for two consecutive misses.

paul Scroggie please make moves for Italy. FLYON, AVEN, FTUN amarD+A

Russia, Devereaux/9/ 2529 Somerset Blv apt 112, Troy Mich. 48084

A MOS-stp a war-GAL, F STPN-nwy, f rum/D sev or A/, a vei-BOH,

a bud-VIE, F SWE S F STPN-nwy, a ber-kiel/D pru or A/ ASIL-mun

Turkey, backstabber, oops Norman/7/

f con-BLA, a smy-ARM, a bul-RUM WITH A SER, A TRI(S) A TYO-vie

NSO, f tyr-ROM, F ION-tun

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press----

The black press ((you don't know what a double joke that is))

It is rumored that all of the nations of Europe have dis-  
patched Ambassadors to Rome, to teach the Italinas how to write letters.

the black press; will the west turn east in time?

Tyrolia; The third army vows that no John shall remain unlettered,

nor shopping bad uncoloured, in the city of Moscow!

Moscow; The czar regretfully announced that a state of war now exists  
between Russia and England.

Ankara; Russia's uncontrollable urge to stab has brought about much  
concern by the Turkish gov't. First Austria, then Germany, then

England, then perhaps Turkey. ((so you stabbed him first, right  
Hal?)) The Russo-Turkish treaty of 1901 was broken by Russia

by his continued presence in the Black Sea (1902) despite Turkish

requests. It was not until the counter measer of a Turkish

build at ANkaara did Russia remove his fleet Black. Turkey

declares war on Russia and asks Germany and England to lay down

their personal vendetta and help in the destrucitinn of Russia.

Cupcakeville: Do you always think out loud?

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NEOPHYTE #3, name your game please, see page 5 fall 1903

TWO COUNTRIES DO NOT ANSWER ROLL CALL, ALL COUNTRIES

SHOW A ONE CENTER CHANGE, TURKEY STILL AHEAD

Austria, Cox/5/

a tyo-VIE, A VEN (S) a apu-ROM, F ADR (S) A VEN, a bud-GAL

England, McGee/5/ 8935 JFK Station, Boston Mass 02114

f nao-NWG, f LON (S) F NTH, F NTH (C) a york-DEN WITH F SWE

France, Blandin/5/

BEL H WITH F ECH, a pic-PAR, A GAS-mar, F WES U, f mao-wes/nsp/

Germany, Hagelshaw/6/ nmr confirm intent to continue by return mail

A RUHR, A HOL, A BURG, A MUN, A SIL ALL H, f den /D+A/

Italy, Scroggie/3/--paul, please see NEO #2 above and make moves, LWL

A PIED-mar, a rom N /D tus, nap, apu or A/, F TUN H

Russia, Keleman/3/NMR, NSO Guy Hail make moves for Russia, please

A UKR, A BOH A STP U ALL H

Turkey, Rice/ 7/ (is rice good with turkey?)

f aeg-ION WITH F NAP, a arm-SEV, f bla-CON, a sev-MOS, f rum-BLA,

a bul- RUM

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 NEO 3 continued.... supply center chart

Austria; home, ser, ven, ROM 6=5+1  
 England; home, nwy, swe, DEN 6=5+1  
 France; home, spa, por, BEL 6=5+1  
 Germany; home, ~~den~~, ~~ber~~, hol 4 = 5-1  
 Italy; ~~den~~, nap, tun 2=3-1  
 Russia; war, stp, ~~den~~ 2=3-1  
 Turkey; home, bul, gre, sev, rum, MOS 8=7+1 34=33 +net of 1

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NEOPHYTE 4, gentlemen, name your game, see page 5, 1971DO winter 02

Austria, Williams NRR GM R f aeg/4/ a tri, a vle, a tyo, a ser  
 England, McKevitt \*B\*A EDIN/5/F BAR, F SWE, A NWY, F NTH  
 France, Horton \*even\*/5/F SPASC, F MAR, A BURG, A BOH, F WES  
 Germany, Early NMR NSO(USED)1 short/4/A BER, A KIEL, AMUN, F DEN  
 Italy, Hail\*even\* A VEN, A PIED, F LYON  
 Russia, Brooks \*R\* f bla/6 A RUM, A SIL A PUR, A STP, F BAL, A BUD  
 Turkey, Leeder/\*even\* /4/ A ANK, A SMY, F CON, A BUL

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Chicago 60640 press at end of zine if room available.

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NEOPHYTE 5, name your game please, men, see page 5 1971DV sp 02cg.

From last report note these changes;

Germany, Jordan/5/f kiel-HOL, f ber-BAL, F DEN, Rus f swe-skag  
 a mun-BOH, a hol-RUHR

The new deadline was set at May 10, 1972.

Now to the problem. Harley states that the house rules should allow for late moves one day late. This was not their intention and I do not wish to allow them. Their full intention is spelled out on page 1 of this issue. please read it. Harley, has requested, and of course is granted, a player vote on whether these moves should be acceptable or not (that is the CHANGES). They were postmarked before the deadline and arrived one day after. In LD 30 I mis-spoke on the subject of the change--evidence the non-acceptance of Jordan's move would produce an annomally(sp?). THEREFORE, I will extend the deadline one more week, till May 17, 1972. All players please vote if you do not want the move changes accepted. If I do not hear from you I will assume that you will allow the change. Vote at once, yes or no.

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NEOPHYTE 6, name your game please, see page 5, 1972 N, fall 1901

Austria, Fish/3/3801 Hillcrest, El Paso, Tex 79902

A SER(S) f alb-GRE, a tri-VIE, owns; home SER, GRE +2

England, Torries/3/ owns; home, BEL, NWY +2

a edin-BEL CONVOYED BY F NTH, f nwg-NWY

Italy, Lipson /3/ owns; home, TUN +1

f ion-TUN, a tyo-VEN, a ven-APU

France, Harrah /3/ owns; home, PORT may build 1 (no spring raid)

f mao-PORT, a par-PIC, a spa-GAS

Russia, Shamray/4/ owns; home, RUM +1

Germany, Converse/3/ 3107 Annandale Rd., Falls Church, Virg 22042

a kiel-DEN, A MUN H, f den-SWE owns home, DEN, SWE +2

Turkey, Muller/3/ nmr, nso ((moves did arrive 2 days late--cancel sub))

F BLA, A BUL, A ARM owns home, BUL +1

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Don't forget, all moves to 4970 N. Marine Dr. apt 525, Chicago 60640

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 Neophyte # 7, name your game please, gentlemen, see page 5 1972 AE  
 the spring of 1901

FRANCE ATTACKS ENGLAND, RUSSIA MAKES HER MIGHT KNOWN IN SOUTH,  
 ITALY GOING TO SEA?

Austria, Osmanson/3/ f tri-ALB, a bud-SER, A VIE H  
 France, Cusock/3/ f bre-ECH, a par-PIC, a mar-SPA (almost late)  
 Germany, Knudsen a ber-KIEL, a mun-RUHR, f kiel-DEN /3/  
 Italy, Hendry/3/ f nap-ION, a rom-NAP, a ven-ROM  
 England, C. Nyderek /3/ f lon-NTH, f edin-NWG, a liver-EDIN  
 Russia, Johnson/4/ K 3603 Rainbow Place, Nashville Tenn 37204  
 f sev-RUM, f stps-BOTH, a war-GAL, a mos-UKR  
 Turkey, Wallin/3/ f ank-CON, a con-BUL, a smy-ARM

Mr. Cusock, please make standby moves for Germany in NEO 3.

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 NEOPHYTE 8 the spring of 1901, name your game, see page 5  
 Lloyd Hoffman, 22011 E. 122 nd st., apt D34, Burnsville Mn 55378 ENGLAND  
 Jim Silsby, Bayside Dr., Ellsworth Maine, 04605 ITALY  
 John Hendry, 17 Price Rd., Peabody, Mass. 01960 FRANCE  
 Frank Kirchner, 7725 N. Pauline, Chicago Ill 60626 GERMANY  
 Terry Whatley Po Box 4682, Irvine Cal. 92664 TURKEY  
 David Carawan, NAVMARJUDACT BLD 200 Wash. Nv Yd., WashingtonDC 20390  
 RUSSIA

Walter Huff, P.O. Box 1314, Blytheville Ark, 72315 AUSTRIA

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CPR HOFFMAN: Ergtafi, SILSBY; terIgfa, HENDRY; F igaert, Kirchner, treGafi  
 Whatley Tregafi, Carawan Rtefagi, Huff ncpl

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 NEO 9, PAID Brooks (NEO 9 of LD 16), interest; Andrew Baird, Bill  
 Parsons, Eric Cumfer, Greg Green, Mark Thomas, Eric Johnson  
 \$1 from Joseph Leon Game fee \$4.00 with subtractions for IFW and  
 new org---50¢ each.

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 Origins of World War II 1972.5h 2nd year end  
 I use the PBM stock table, I have a 20 sided die.  
 Attack; Germany vs England in Poland 16:4, 4:1 die roll 1

No clear control as Russ 7 Pol and USA 2 Pol

End of 2nd year summation;

England, Hagelshaw/14/ no orders received on time (2 days late)

5 ger, 3 rhi, 3 czi, 3 bal may place 12 next year.

France Gniadek/8 10/

5 ALA, 3 rhi, 1 cze 1 brit may place 8 next year

Germany, Harrison/22&1 control, 4 pts/

3 bal, 3 ger, 16 pol, cont Aust may place 20 next year.

Russia, Pyle /No orders received--Edi Birsan make sub moves please.

2 Bal, 7 Pol, 2 Rom, 3 Ala /14/ may build 10

USA, Lewis/6

2 cze, 2 bal, 2 pol may place 6

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 many diplomacy zines which is generally quite accurate.

HOOSIER ARCHIVES, Walt Buchanan, R 3 Lebanon Ind. 46052

Genzine, with demonstration game. Excellent.

SMUT\*, Pete Weber 417 E. Hatcher apt 2, Phoenix Ar. 85020

Good new entry to the diplomacy field.

COSTAGUANA, Conrad Von Metzke, PO Bx 8342 San Diego, Cal 92102

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 deadline is awfully quick though.

Conrad von Metzke, pob 8342 Sandiego, Cal. 92102 \$7, HIGH but good

Lewis Pulsipher, 321A Twin Towers, Albion Mich 49224 Variants

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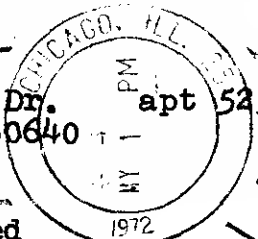
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